GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA

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DUES OF AIR INDIA
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether huge amount is due from VIPs/VVIPs to the Indian Airlines;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the steps taken by the Indian Airlines to recover this outstanding amount from them?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI SHARAD YADAV)

(a),(b) and (c): The facility of issuance of tickets on credit is not given to individual passengers. Sometime, in situations of extreme exigency, cheque is being accepted in lieu of cash for payment of fare on tickets. There are few cases of cheques being dishonoured for which an amount of Rs.2.95 lakhs is outstanding. Necessary follow up action is in progress to realize the dues.